

## **AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS**

### **Claims 1-12 (Cancelled)**

**Claim 13 (Currently Amended)** An intermediate device that relays a piece of initial data from a management device on a wireless network to a communication device, the piece of initial data being used to register the communication device to the wireless network, the intermediate device comprising:

a receiving unit operable to, ~~in registration of a communication device to a wireless network,~~ receive ~~on a predetermined carrier a~~ the piece of initial data from ~~a~~ the management device;

a holding unit operable to hold the piece of initial data; and

a sending unit operable to send the piece of initial data to the communication device, ~~using the predetermined carrier~~, wherein:

the receiving of the piece of initial data performed by the receiving unit and the sending of the piece of initial data performed by the sending unit are each performed using a carrier that reaches a narrower area than an area reached by a carrier used for wireless communication on the wireless network;

the management device is positioned in a location where neither (i) the carrier used for the receiving of the piece of initial data performed by the receiving unit, nor (ii) the carrier used for the sending of the piece of initial data performed by the sending unit, is able to reach the communication device;

the communication device is positioned in a location where neither (i) the carrier used for

the receiving of the piece of initial data performed by the receiving unit, nor (ii) the carrier used for the sending of the piece of initial data performed by the sending unit, is able to reach the management device;

the receiving unit is adapted to receive the piece of initial data when positioned at a first location, from which the carrier used for the receiving of the piece of initial data performed by the receiving unit reaches the management device; and

the sending unit is adapted to send the piece of initial data when positioned at a second location, from which the carrier used for the sending of the piece of initial data performed by the sending unit reaches the communication device, the sending of the piece of initial data by the sending unit being performed after moving the intermediate device from the first location to the second location.

~~an area where the predetermined carrier reaches is narrower in comparison with any carrier for the wireless network.~~

**Claim 14 (Currently Amended)** The intermediate device according to ~~Claim 14~~ claim 13, wherein:

different carriers are used by the receiving unit in the receiving of the piece of initial data and by the sending unit in the sending of the piece of initial data.

**Claim 15 (Currently Amended)** The intermediate device according to ~~Claim 14~~ claim 13, further comprising:

an erase unit operable to erase the piece of initial data held in the holding unit.

**Claim 16 (Currently Amended)** The intermediate device according to ~~Claim 16~~ claim 15, wherein:

the ~~erasing~~ erase of the piece of initial data is performed when the piece of ~~sent~~ initial data sent by the sending unit is received by the communication device.

**Claim 17 (Currently Amended)** The intermediate device according to ~~Claim 17~~ claim 16, wherein:

the erase unit confirms, by receiving a notification from the communication device, that the piece of initial data is received by the communication device.

**Claim 18 (Currently Amended)** The intermediate device according to ~~Claim 16~~ claim 15, wherein:

the holding unit is a Ferroelectric Random Access Memory; and  
the erasing of the piece of initial data is performed by a destructive read of the piece of initial data.

### **Claims 19-22 (Cancelled)**

**Claim 23 (New)** A method of registration of a communication device that relays a piece of initial data from a management device on a wireless network to the communication device with use of an intermediate device, the piece of initial data being used to register the communication device to the wireless network, the method of registration comprising the steps of:

the intermediate device receiving the piece of initial data from the management device when the communication device is to be registered to the wireless network;

the intermediate device holding the piece of initial data that has been received; and sending the piece of initial data that has been held from the intermediate device to the communication device, wherein:

the receiving of the piece of initial data and the sending of the piece of initial data are each performed using a carrier that reaches a narrower area than an area reached by a carrier used for wireless communication on the wireless network;

the management device is positioned in a location where neither (i) the carrier used for the receiving of the piece of initial data, nor (ii) the carrier used for the sending of the piece of initial data, is able to reach the communication device;

the communication device is positioned in a location where neither (i) the carrier used for the sending of the piece of initial data, nor (ii) the carrier used for the sending of the piece of initial data, is able to reach the management device;

the receiving of the piece of initial data is performed when the intermediate device is positioned at a first location, from which the carrier used for the receiving of the piece of initial data reaches the management device; and

the sending of the piece of initial data is performed when the intermediate device is positioned at a second location, from which the carrier used for the sending of the piece of initial data reaches the communication device, the sending of the piece of initial data being performed after moving the intermediate device from the first location to the second location.